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Subject: ~~TOP SECRET~~ # 34

Date: 19 July 1968

1. Subjects arrived on 2 June 1968 from Prague, GSSR via Frankfurt/Main to Toronto, Ont., Canada, where they were going to stay with Subject's brother for one month. Both children remained in Prague with her mother.

During their stopover in Frankfurt/Main Subjects saw for two hours or so # 18 at the Airport.

2. On 5 and 6 June C. & George visited Subjects at their Brother's home in Toronto.

From 23 to 26 June they stayed at George's house in New York accompanied by Subject's brother from Toronto. This and other trips they made by car in company of Subject's brother who was driving.

George volunteered still in Toronto to accommodate Subject at his house in New York as a gesture of gratitude for Subject's helping him to get through from Prague to West Germany in 1945. With Subject's and his colleague's help George and his companion did not only eschew a MGB trap but were given accommodation and other aid.

During their stay in New York Subjects visited the Ukrainian Free Academy of Sciences (UVAN), the Ukrainian Institute, libraries, museums and on the whole did ~~a~~ lot of sightseeing. Most of the time they were accompanied by George. Only to Ukrainian institutions they went with Subject's brother alone.

On 26 June Subjects also visited Prolog, on their own initiative.

3. Beside New York City Subject visited with his brother Hamilton, Ont., Montreal, P.Q., Philadelphia, Pa, Washington, D.C. and Newark, N.J., where they usually stayed with their relatives or friends. One of Subject's brothers is a medical doctor in Hamilton, Ont.

4. While in Toronto Subjects visited KRAVCHUK Petro at his newspaper office. Kravchuk told them that he had authored the article in defence of Honchar Oles in "Zhyttia i Slovo". His attitude was that he definitely was in favor of liberalization in the Ukraine and sympathized with younger writers and Honchar. He promised to make some efforts

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to get "other fraternal sections of the party" interested in Ukrainian situation meaning non-Ukrainian communists in Canada and elsewhere".

5. In their talks with C. and George Subjects informed them about the present situation of Ukrainians in Prague and Presov area and latest developments in Kiev and Lvov. They also gave addresses to which books and other literature should be sent from here. Subjects gave personal characteristics of various individuals in CSSR and the Ukraine. In this respect particularly helpful was Subject's wife who had visited Kiev 5 times in the past. She also described in detail her "incident" at Chop in June 1967.

6. Subjects brought no zakhalavna literature with them being afraid that after June 1967 accident they might be still under surveillance, despite latest developments in CSSR. They only brought some Ukrainian publications from Presov and ^{nowadays} ~~are~~ book by Zerov published in 1920's which they had found in one of Czech libraries in Prague.

7. On 3 July at 17.40 hrs Subject left by Air Canada Flight # 870 from Toronto for Paris and then Prague. Next morning they were received in Paris by Dr K. Mytrovych who took care of them for two days. Except for telephoning Prof V. Kubyovych at Sarcelles Subjects did not meet with anybody else as far as Dr K.M. was aware of. ~~At~~ his proposition to meet with some OUN M people Subject replied that they preferred not to after having discovered that "these people use to abuse their connections with people like us". Subjects were also unhappy about the way the OUN M handled zakhalavni publications.

8. On 28 Aug 1968 Subject is going to Crimea and Kiev with an excursion group of Czech students. He is coming back on 18 or 19 Sept 1968.

9. Subjects took with them books, a set of press cuttings on zakhalavni materials published in the West, and other publications with them to CSSR.

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